



SHARP News



Dear Doctor, Nurse, IDC and PMT: Please Pilot Test New SHARP Course

SHARP needs your help evaluating the draft of a new SHARP self-study course "**Sexual Health Primer**". Your input will influence the content and the eventual award of continuing education credits for your specialty.

The draft course is a 60 page book that covers:

- Chapter 1: The Impact of STDs and Unplanned Pregnancy
- Chapter 2: Sexual Health and Responsibility Program
- Chapter 3: Risk Assessment and Risk Reduction Counseling – Guidance and Training for Health Care Providers
- Chapter 4: "SHARP Facts" Fact Sheets: Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs); Pregnancy and Sexually Transmitted Diseases; Chlamydia; Gonorrhea; Syphilis; Bacterial Vaginosis; Trichomoniasis; Genital Herpes; Human Papillomavirus; Hepatitis B; Testing for HIV; HIV Frequently Asked Questions; HIV Infection and AIDS; Choosing Safer Options Reduces Risk; Condoms and Their Use in Preventing HIV and STDs; Female Condoms; Talking to Teens about Sexual Responsibility; Family Planning.
- 50-question Exam

Volunteers are needed from each specialty. **Interested?** Please send an e-mail to macdonaldb@nehc.med.navy.mil and volunteer! You'll receive a copy of the draft course and a separate answer sheet / questionnaire. Just return the answer sheet/questionnaire to SHARP for your reward.

Thank you in advance for your help with this SHARP work and for helping our people to "Chart a Safe Course".

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Sexual Health and Responsibility Program (SHARP)

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